

LOCAL SOCIAL EVENTS

A Party.

Honoring Miss Ada Sapp, a party was given on May 5 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Sapp, in Pennsylvania avenue. Music and games were features of the evening and refreshments were served. A birthday cake with candles was a feature of the decorations the event celebrating the ninth anniversary of the honor guest.

The guests included Thelma Everson, Mildred Wilson, Edith Ellis, Catherine Ellis, Madge Ellis, Mary White, Olgamay Laughlin, Evelyn Everson, Catherine Shuttleworth, Helen Parrish, Wilhelmina Parker, Valda Wilson, Sylvia Abel, Hilda Abel, Doris Tennant, Eugenia Reynolds, Cora Ford, Josephine Dett, Mary Mason, Grace Watson, Lillie Ford, Elsie Thompson, Ruth Carroll, Ruth Layman, Arah Conley, Thelma Wade, Grace Munden, Mary Glascock, Lena Lepinski, Corinne Clayton, Virginia Merrifield, Agnes Sapp, Georgia Ellis, Nola Ellis, Ada Sapp, Lucile Merrifield, Albert Layman, Robert Layman, Charles Parker, Raymond Yates, Ned Merrifield, Harry Hall, Dale Hunter, Lloyd Carroll, Joseph Merrifield, Junior Reynolds, Winfield Meredith.

Joined Sisters.

Miss Martha Huffman left Saturday for Washington, D. C., to take a position in the internal revenue department. Her sisters, the Misses Esser and Mary Hoffman have been located in the government service for some time and their brother Atwood Hoffman is in the U. S. Navy. The Misses Huffman had resided here for several years coming here from Virginia.

Mother's Club Today.

The Mother's Club of the W. C. T. U. met today at the home of Mrs. J. Clark Miller on Fourth street. Mrs. Jennie Engle led the devotional services and Mrs. J. S. LeMasters and Mrs. C. L. Holland read papers.

Gives Bed to Hospital.

The Robert E. Lee Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy have had a part in the placing of a bed in the American military hospital No. 1 in France which was the gift of the West Virginia division of the U. S. C. for which \$500 was appropriated and which was named in honor of Stonewall Jackson. The bed is one of a number which the organization is supporting.

WHAT WOULD HOUSEWIVES

DO WITHOUT "GREENS?"

GARDEN LESSON NO. 35.

Every garden should produce its "greens"—such pot herbs as spinach, chard, and possibly mustard. Other pot herb crops are orach, pearsal, dandelion and purslane.

Because pot herbs are grown for their leaves, they must be crisp and tender. Quick growth makes them so. Quick growth is brought about by fine tilling of well-manured soil.

Spinach and chard (or leaf beet) are the more important of the pot herb crops. Spinach is an early spring and late fall plant, and does not grow well in hot weather. Chard occupies the ground all season, although you can begin using its leaves in summer and continue into autumn.

Spinach makes a fine succession or companion crop. It can be sown early and followed by a late crop such as tomatoes, peppers, late cabbage, or beans. For fall use it can follow earlier crops of other vegetables. It can be sown between potatoes, cabbage, sweet corn, and harvested before the others need the space.

Rows may be a foot apart, the plants being thinned to stand 4 inches apart. An ounce of seed will sow a 50-foot row now, another two weeks later and

Standard Bearers to Meet.

The Standard Bearers of the First M. E. church will meet with Miss Doris Hall at her home 420 Walnut avenue tomorrow afternoon immediately after school. Some matters of importance will come up for consideration and a good attendance is desired.

To Sew for Red Cross.

The women of the Central Christian church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the Red Cross headquarters to sew.

PERSONALS

Ray Hunter, son of Mrs. Anna Hunter of this city who has been stationed with the 319th engineers, Fremont, Cal., has been transferred to Camp Lee, Va.

George Barnes who was here a week ago on a leave of absence has been transferred from Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., to Camp Jackson, S. C.

Mrs. Keena Clark who had been the guest of her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. S. Haymond for several weeks left Sunday night for Philadelphia to join Mr. Clark who has just arrived there from a trip over seas.

Born on Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bell at their home on Fifth street a daughter. Mrs. Bell was formerly Miss Ola Conaway a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Conaway of Washington, D. C.

Colmar C. Nuzum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Job Nuzum of Colfax has arrived safely in France according to a message received by his parents a few days ago.

Mrs. W. J. Wiegand has returned from Pittsburgh where she had spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Mould and her daughter, Miss Mary Mould Hurst.

Attorney J. G. Prichard went to Martinsburg yesterday on a business trip. Miss Helen Judge, a student at West Virginia university, Morgantown, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Winifred Murphy of this city yesterday.

Mrs. Martha Scranage of McGee is here the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Leigh Husted. Roy Stewart of the Stewart Granite works in Mannington was a business visitor here today.

ISAAC WALTON IMPROVED

Edmund Vance Cooke

In the youth of the year, when the green's in the tree
And the bird on the branch is cheer-up-ing his glee,

When the vivified earth bares her breast to the sun
And whispers of harvest when summer is done,

When the breeze is a blessing which portenges and pours
Its annotated delight on its kingdom, outdoors,

O, 'tis then I am tempted by rod and by reel,
By hook and by fly-book, by dip-net and creel,

By guide-book and time-table, for (so they say)
Best fishing is always the furthest away.

So I fit myself out as if hunting the whale
And I take to the boat and the train and the trail,

And after an effort exceeding belief,
I bring home a fish at the price of a beef.

Then I glow with delight as I boast to my wife
Of how the fierce creature fought hard for its life,

How it pitted its pitiful ounces of bulk
Against human wisdom and courage and hulk;

What care and what caution the struggle entailed,
But at last how my luck and my manhood prevailed!

Whereat my late victim looks up from its dish
And murmurs, "And yet I am called 'the poor fish!'"

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WAR SAVERS WILL HAVE PLEDGE WEEK

Big State Wide Effort to Make a W. S. S. Buyer of Everyone

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., May 7.—A concerted simultaneous drive for pledges from every man, woman and child in West Virginia for the purchase of War Savings Stamps is to be conducted during the week of May 20. Announcement to this effect has just been made by State Director Robert L. Archer, of the West Virginia War Savings committee. The state has thus far absorbed about \$2,500,000 of the total allotment of \$26,000,000.

The object of War Savings Pledge Week is to close the matter up as far as pledges are concerned. Each person pledging will become a member of a War Savings Society through which a record of the subscribers' purchases will be kept. The State Director and his organization will spend the remainder of the year, following the pledging of the state's quota in follow-up work.

During Pledge Week every War Savings society is expected to conduct a systematic campaign for new members—new members pledged to save and invest a given amount in War Savings

stamps during the course of the year. Members need not be confined, it is announced, to the school, factory or office in which the society is located, but anyone who can be induced to sign a pledge may become identified with the society. Any person may become a member of more than one society if he pledges a definite amount for each. In a bulletin addressed to county chairmen, War Savings societies and authorized agents, the state director calls attention to the fact that the program of the War Savings campaign has thus far been one of publicity and education and expresses the belief that the time has now come to insure its success.

After announcing the date of the Pledge Week the bulletin continues: "Every county chairman should immediately begin to organize for this week. Let him set before himself the distinct purpose of getting pledges to meet his entire quota. Let him have his organization completed so there will be a chairman with a committee in every district and a captain and a committee in every ward and subdivision."

"War Savings societies, authorized agents, schools, Boy Scouts and Women's clubs should be asked to get ready to help."

"Get the co-operation and assistance of the committees of the County Councils of Defense."

"Do a big piece of organization. Then when May 20 comes we shall not only gather up the fragments left from the Liberty Loan drive, but we shall bring home to the entire state the necessity of saving materials as well as saving money, and take up all our financial slack for the sake of victory."

"Don't say this is difficult. Don't say some other time will be better. Get together—work together—make everybody pledge together."

War Savings pledges may be completed with in the course of the present year, the campaign terminating according to the original schedule on December 31, 1918.

The current value of a War Savings stamp is \$4.16 and this price increases monthly at the rate of one cent for each War Savings stamp. The War Savings allotment is based on population, being twenty dollars per capita. In the course of the pledge campaign an effort will be made to have as many families as possible pledge themselves to buy at least four War Savings stamps for each individual member. Of course, wherever it is possible, pledges for larger amounts up to the maximum of \$1,000 face value for each individual will be secured.

Director Archer is confident that this plan will result in the insuring of the complete success of the War Savings campaign in West Virginia.

EAST SIDE NEWS

Entertained the Graduating Class. Superintendent W. A. Husted and the teachers of the eighth grade, Misses Pearl Scott and Matilda McKinney, entertained the members of the graduating class last evening at the Central school building.

Thursday night will be "stunt night" and an entertaining program will be given by the high school students. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged to assist in paying for the Victrola recently purchased for the school. An interesting program will be given by the East Park school this evening in the Community building.

Will Meet Wednesday.

On account of the closing of the schools the Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of E. P. will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday at two o'clock instead of Thursday. All the members are requested to come out to the meeting.

Attending Convention.

Miss Mayd Merrifield, the delegate from the First Methodist Protestant church is at Clarksburg attending the State Sunday school convention. She

INFANTS WEAR

The daintiest, most individual baby clothes imaginable and in an unusually large variety. Visit our Infants Department. 2nd Annex.

Hartley's

Now is the time to buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps.

A Splendid Place to Shop—Hartley's



The Store of Numerous Bridal Desires

The June bride has begun to be a very busy little person. In the Hartley store you often see her bending over fine-patterned laces, now absorbed in contemplation of the various hats she is going to need, admiring chiffons and satins; trying on her travel gown before a mirror, picking out her gloves, selecting shoes, choosing pink and white lingerie, and suddenly hastening up to the furniture floor, then back to consider rugs—determined to improve each shining hour.

We have made it easy for the June bride to choose everything she wants quickly and satisfactorily from the tips of her satin slippers to the top of her filmy veil. Everything is at hand—wedding gown, the going away costume, the afternoon and evening frocks, the hats and all the hundred little foibles dear to the heart of every bride.

Hartleys for Wash Goods

has satisfied the most fastidious customer. We are very proud of the reputation and wouldn't lose it for any consideration.

Every conceivable pattern is represented in our stock—our prices are low considering wholesale prices today. No matter what you want in wash goods you are almost certain to find it here.

The Prettiest Voiles Are Here

in wide selection, delicate sheer things for summer frocks, plain voiles, stripes, plaids and gingham patterns as well as the ever popular flowered voiles.

Prices 35c to \$1.00. Main Floor. Many of the frocks have vestees, cuffs and collars of silk, some embroidered—a few are lace trimmed.

Handsome Gingham

in the domestic store, third annex. Gingham are more popular than ever. We have a large assortment almost any desired pattern may be found here.

Prices 25c, 35c, 40c, 60c.

Women's and Misses' Pretty New Dresses

\$16.50, \$18, \$25 Upward.

All very, very, smart models that may be worn with coats and furs but perfectly correct and suitable for summer wear as well.

Taffetas, Georgettes, Foulards, Crepe de Chine, Wool Jersey, Combinations.

Many styles from which to make your selection, tunic dresses, draped or ruffled models for the slender types.

It Is Not Difficult To Make Over a Home

It sounds like a terrific problem to make over a home, but it really is very simple; merely a question of lighter curtains, cretonnes replacing draperies, winter furniture being re-covered with cool looking material or replaced with lovely summer furniture.

Winter calls for glowing rich colors—hangings and furniture that suggest warmth.

In summer everything inside that appeals is attractively cool—subdued.

Curtains For Every Room

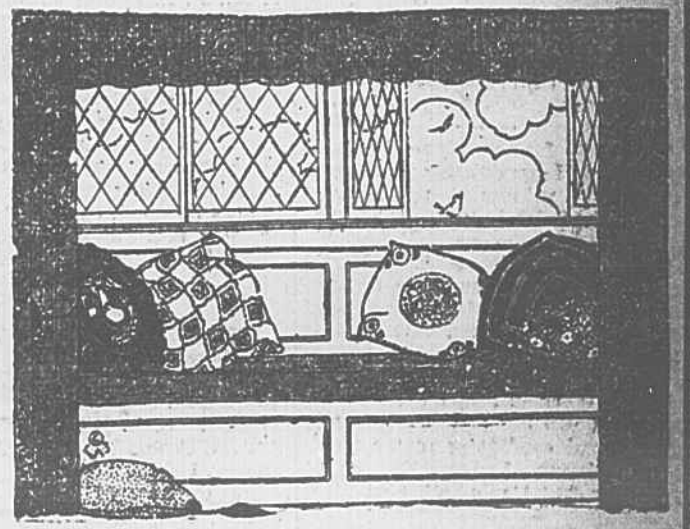
Lace, Net, Voile, Marquisette, \$1 to \$15 pair.

Panel Curtains for narrow or extra wide windows 50c to \$2.00 panel. Curtains, lace and net, 40c to \$2.00 a yard.

Cretonnes for Every Use

In our large stock that includes every variety of patterns and designs.

New cretonnes are constantly coming in. This keeps stocks full fresh and interesting. Prices 25c to \$1 a yard. Third Floor.



Miss Katherine Stinson in her observation plane and, above, Miss Ruth Law.

By PAUL PURMAN.

By far the most sensational race ever participated in by women will be staged at the famous Sheepshead Bay race track, Memorial Day, May 30.

For the first time in the history of aviation, two women aviators will meet in a test of skill and speed.

Miss Ruth Law, perhaps the most famous of all bird-women, and Miss Katherine Stinson, one of the most brilliant of aviatrixes, will show off their wares at Sheepshead. The event is advertised for the championship of the universe and the woman who wins will have little competition unless

some lady from Mars should happen to drop in to challenge her right to the title.

The two wonders of the air have never met in competition, although both have been attracting world-wide attention by their exploits for several years.

Both girls have often excelled male fliers in their phenomenal stunts above the clouds. Miss Law holds the world record for a nonstop flight, having flown from Chicago to Erie, Pa., a distance of 580 miles without descending. She was recently given a

permit from the War Department to fly anywhere in the United States and will soon start a nation-wide tour for the Red Cross and other patriotic causes.

Miss Stinson was a sensation before she was 20. She defeated Dario Resta in an earth and air race a few years ago and since has greatly improved her air-mastery. She is said to be the first woman to undertake the aerial somersault, and holds the world record for consecutive loops. Her distance record is a run from Buffalo to Washington via New York, a

A DAGGER IN THE BACK

That's the woman's dread when she gets up in the morning to start the day's work. "Oh! how my back aches." GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules taken today ease the backache of tomorrow—taken every day ends the backache for all time. Don't delay. What's the use of suffering? Begin taking GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules today and be relieved tomorrow. Take three or four every day and be permanently free from wrenching, distressing back pain. Be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Since 1896 GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been the National Remedy of Holland, the Government of the Netherlands having granted a special charter authorizing its preparation and sale. The housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without bread as she would without her "Real Dutch Drops," as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the one reason why you find the women and children of Holland so sturdy and robust.

GOLD MEDAL are the pure, original Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Look for the name on every box. Sold by reliable druggists in sealed packages, three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you. Accept only the GOLD MEDAL. All others are imitations.

SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a remedy for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription for special diseases, makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention The West Virginian.

will remain in Clarksburg till Saturday.

New Son.

A son was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boyers at their home in Market street. He has been named Bernard Amos Boyers.

Personals.

Mrs. C. W. Stansberry, of Hopewell, has returned home from visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Kiser at Triune.

Lloyd Boggess, of Guffey street, is

Fairmont Housewife Becomes New Woman

"All of our best doctors had given me up. I was unable to leave my bed for 16 weeks and was yellow as a pumpkin, besides the terrible stomach pains I suffered. Our druggist advised my husband to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and it has saved my life. I am a new woman now." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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